





## WILBERFORCE WILL CONFER DEGREES ON 143 AT GRADUATION

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ical Seminary students by the Rev. Charles H. Bell, Bermuda.

The Rev. Wilbur E. Page, pastor of Union Baptist Church, Cincinnati, member of the trustee board of the combined normal and industrial department of the university, will deliver the address to twenty-two graduates at the first commencement of the Wilberforce High School, in Jones auditorium Monday night at 8 o'clock, June 8. Formerly the high school and university graduation exercises were combined. This year they are being held separately for the first time.

Yearly meeting of the university board of trustees is scheduled for 10 a. m. Tuesday, June 7, in Shorter Hall, with Bishop R. C. Ransom, Oceanport, N. J., presiding. The graduates will have "Class Day" exercises in Galloway Hall at 3 p. m. that day. At 8:30 p. m. the graduation-recital of Miss Alberta Goens, an honor student, will take place in Jones auditorium. The annual oratorical contest will be held at 8 p. m., with three cash prizes to be presented winning contestants.

From 1 to 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, June 8, the home economics and industrial exhibit will take place, and at 5 p. m. the annual reception given by President Jones for members of the general faculty and their wives and the graduates will be held on the lawn of his residence.

The guests of honor at the reception will be Bishop and Mrs. R. C. Ransom, who will make their Episcopal residence at Wilberforce. Bishop Ransom was assigned by the Episcopal Committee to preside over the Third Episcopal District in place of Bishop William Heard, Philadelphia, Pa.

A physical culture exhibit by the girls' department will be open for inspection at 6:30 p. m. that day on the Galloway Hall campus, in charge of Miss Mabel F. Hall, physical director for girls. About 150 young women will take part in the demonstration.

The Rev. Frank Madison Reed, Lexington, Ky., graduate of the university in 1921, will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the alumni association at 8 p. m., June 8.

Following the commencement program the morning of June 9, the closing activity of the week will be a musical concert at 2:30 p. m. in Jones auditorium.

President Jones predicts that the graduation exercises will be largely attended by visitors from various states, and by parents and friends of graduates.

## COMMUNITY GARDEN PROJECT LAUNCHED HERE; MANY ENROLL

A move to provide a community vegetable garden for Xenia is under way, and twenty families have already said they will take part in the project according to County Agent E. A. Drake, who, with Mrs. Pearl Wittenmyer, county health nurse, the county health association and county officials and others are cooperating in the project.

A large plot of growing vegetables, can be obtained if sufficient interest is shown. County Commissioners have consented to plow and prepare the ground and the Red Cross Chapter has placed an order for a supply of Red Cross garden seeds.

Community vegetable gardens have been formed at Osborn and Yellow Springs and it is felt that a similar project might be of value in Xenia.

During this period of unemployment a vegetable garden of this kind would give many citizens some employment and enable them to achieve a measure of independence by growing a portion of their food supply, it is pointed out. While details of the project have not been worked out, plots of ground would not doubt be allotted to certain individuals and seed for planting, all furnished without charge.

Anyone desiring to obtain a plot of ground for growing vegetables should leave his request at the office of the Red Cross.

## TO LEAD JAPAN



Opening of the Japanese diet was postponed pending the appointment of a new national cabinet under Admiral Viscount Makoto Saito, above. The former naval officer was governor general of Korea for ten years.

## ASSASSIN'S WIFE



Mme. Gourguloff, wife of Dr. Paul Gourguloff, Russian emigre, who assassinated President Paul Doumer of France, is shown at police headquarters in Paris following her arrest at Monte Carlo. She was questioned at length concerning the activities of her husband, who faced the guillotine for his crime.

## SAFE BLOWN IN CEDARVILLE; CASH IS TAKEN

Yeggs, using a charge of nitroglycerin, blew a safe in the office of the C. E. Barnhart coal yard at Cedarville Tuesday night, stealing \$40.59 in cash, between \$40 and \$50 in checks and a few notes.

In order to muffle the sound of the blast, feed was piled around the safe, which was completely wrecked by the explosive.

The robbery was not discovered until Wednesday morning, when it was found that entrance had been gained by breaking the glass out of a front door and turning the night lock. Interior of the room where the safe had stood was in disorder.

Barnhart also operates a feed and implement business and a gasoline station at the location. An investigation was made by Sheriff John Baughn.

## COUNTY 4-H CLUB NEWS

**UPSTREAMERS CLUB**  
Wilfred McDonald was elected president of the Caesarcreek Upstreamers 4-H Club at its organization meeting Tuesday evening at the home of R. K. Haines. Other officers elected were Donald Pickering, secretary-treasurer, Thomas Haines, news reporter and Leroy Wilt, recreation leader.

Projects selected by the club were Beef Calf, Dairy Calf and Pig. Club plans for the year were discussed and a membership campaign outlined to increase the membership of the club. The next meeting will be held at the home of Wilfred McDonald, Tuesday evening, June 7.

**GIRL ATE NAILS**  
DURANGO, Colo., May 25.—Annabelle Soens, 7, was shy on iron in her diet, so supplemented the table with two eight-penny nails. An operation saved her.

**10-GALLON HAT WAS SECURITY**  
TOPPENISH, Wash.—Henry Leonard couldn't pay a \$10 fine for liquor possession. He left his 10-gallon hat as security.

## Notice of Time and Place Of View And Of Final Hearing Vacating Public Road (By Publication)

Notice is hereby given that there is before the Board of County Commissioners of Greene County, Ohio, the matter of Vacating a part of a Public Road on the line hereinafter described, known as the Sulphur Grove Road; the general route and termini of which Road are as follows:

Beginning at a point near Pennell's Mills where the following described road joins the Fairfield-Medway road, said point being in the north East Quarter of Sec. 34 T. 2 R. 8. and at a corner of lands of William and Jennie Michel and lands of Frank and Pearl A. Taylor. Thence in a Northwesterly direction and crossing Mad River at 80 poles to 110 poles. Thence Westerly 40 poles to Montgomery County line.

Said Board of County Commissioners has fixed the 15th day of June 1932, at 10 o'clock A. M. as the date when and Montgomery County line as the place where said Board will view the proposed improvement, and has fixed the 22nd day of June 1932, at 10 o'clock A. M. at their office in the Court House of said County, in Xenia, Ohio, as the time and place for the final hearing on said proposed improvement.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners Greene County, Ohio, Geo. C. Stokes, Clerk.

5125-611-8.

## MEMORIAL DAY PLANS ARE LAID

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by children of the St. Brigid parochial school.

Memorial services of colored people of the city will be held in the afternoon at Cherry Grove Cemetery, and the speaker for the occasion will be Prof. James A. Booker, of Wilberforce University. Led by the Wilberforce University band and R. O. T. C. unit, a parade to the cemetery will form at 1:30 p. m.

Annual memorial program at New Burlington will be held Sunday afternoon, May 29. A parade composed of Legionnaires and veterans of all other wars will form in the cross streets at 1:45 p. m. and will march to the M. E. Church, headed by the New Burlington Band. At the church an address will be delivered by the Rev. J. O. Kilmer, member of the Legion. After the church service, the parade will form again and march to the bridge over Anderson's Fork, where brief exercises will be held in memory of sailors. The procession will then disband and take autos to the top of the cemetery hill, where it will form once more and march into the cemetery for services over the grave of a departed Legion member. R. D. Collett will be in charge. Xenia Legionnaires will participate in the exercises, meeting at post hall here at 12:30 p. m. Sunday.

Other observances of the day in this vicinity will take place at Beaver Creek, Mt. Zion, Spring Valley, Old Massie Creek (Stevenson), Mercer and Belbrock Cemeteries.

Sons of the Union Veterans will be in charge of exercises at Beaver Creek, at 10 a. m., with the address by Capt. V. G. Martin of the American Legion. Proceeding from Xenia, the party will make a halt at the Little Miami River bridge at Treblein to strew flowers on the water in memory of naval dead, a custom observed for years by the Lewis Relief Corps, No. 29, W. R. C. Donald Munger will give the Gettysburg address.

The Rev. Mr. Eldemiller, Zimmerman, will give the address at Mt. Zion Cemetery services at 9 a. m. A boys' band from the Knights of Pythias Home in Springfield will play, and the program will include songs and recitations. William Rickels will have charge of the Legion ritual.

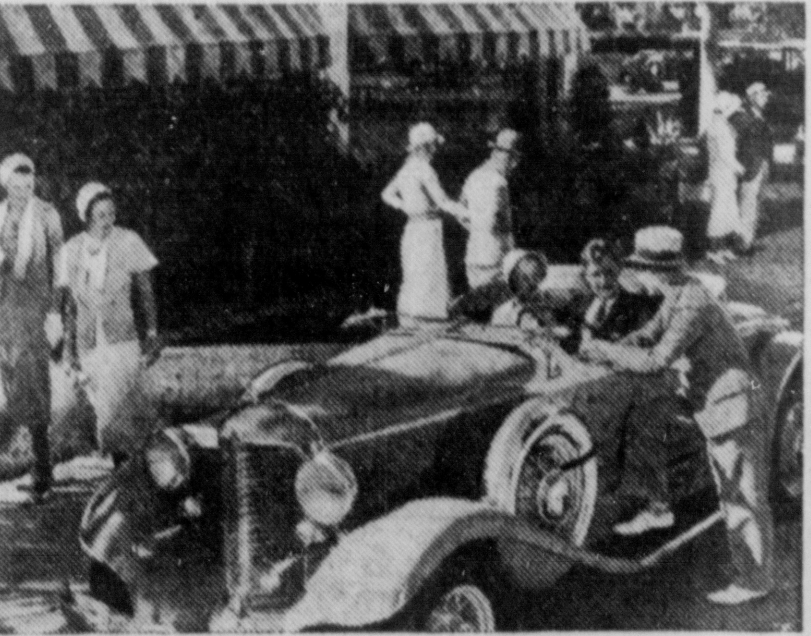
At Spring Valley, services at 9:30 a. m. will be in charge of Carl Smith of the Legion. Dr. B. R. McClellan, Xenia, will give the address, followed by the Legion memorial, and a Spring Valley band will furnish music.

Cedar Cliff Chapter, D. A. R., assisted by Wallace Anderson Post, No. 544, American Legion, will conduct services at the Old Massie Creek Cemetery at 11 a. m. Speakers will be Samuel Baker, representing the G. A. R.; Harry Cliff, the Spanish War veterans; and Fred Townsend, of the Legion. A Cedarville band will supply music and there will be a special program dedicating markers in the cemetery at the graves of two Revolutionary War soldiers buried there.

C. W. Wilson and N. C. Littler, two of the few surviving veterans of Lewis Post, G. A. R., Xenia, will have charge of exercises at the Mercer Cemetery, assisted by James Paulin and E. A. Storer, of the American Legion, at 10 a. m. Memorial services at Belbrock will be under the direction of Geo. P. Stutsman, of the American Legion, preceded by a parade forming at 1 p. m. at the high school. Returning from the march to the cemetery, the procession will stop at a bridge west of the village for a brief service honoring naval dead. The exercises will terminate with a program in the school auditorium, where Capt. V. G. Martin, Xenia Legionnaire, will give an address and the high school band will provide music.

**RUSSIA OPENS LOCUST WAR**  
TASHKENT, U. S. S. R.—A vigorous chemical war against an expected invasion of locusts is being prepared by the Central Asiatic authorities to protect the cotton crops. Locusts threaten eastern Tajikistan and some sections of the Uzbek and Turkmen Soviet Republics.

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## Jamestown News

Miss Gladys Huffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Huffman of So. Solon and Mr. Harry Mossman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mossman, of this place were united in marriage Wednesday at 6:45 p. m. by Rev. C. E. Randolph, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church in London, O., who performed the single ring ceremony. The bride wore a gown of pondre blue crepe with accessories to match. They were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Carmine Huffman and Mr. Lewis Lillich. Immediately after the ceremony the couple went to their ready furnished home on the James Watkins farm northeast of Jamestown. The bride is a member of the class of '28 in South Solon. Mr. Mossman is a member of the class of '28 of the Ross Twp. School.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roberts and family had as their dinner guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pulse and son, Dwight, Mr. John Smith of Lexington, Va., Mr. John W. Amole and son, Clarence, of Xenia.

Mrs. Loren Huffman was hostess Thursday afternoon at her home to members of the Ladies Aid of the Friends Church. The business session was in charge of the president, Mrs. Bland, after which a program was given by the committee. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Eliza Robinson, Mrs. Conner and Mrs. A. F. Jenks in serving a delicious refreshment course.

Prof. and Mrs. A. F. Roush opened their home Friday evening to members of the basketball teams of Ross Twp. School. The evening was spent with games and contests, after which the hostess served delicious refreshments.

The Missionary Society of the Friends Church will hold its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Miss Wyoma White. Mrs. Anna Farr Carey of Hillsboro, will be present and give a very interesting talk. All ladies of the church are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Harry Pickering spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reid and family.

Mrs. Mary Paxon, was a Dayton visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Harper was hostess Saturday evening at her home to members of her bridge club. Three tables were in play throughout the evening. The hostess served light refreshments.

Mr. Gene Gordin, Mr. Robert

## BISHOP HOBSON TO CONFIRM CLASS AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rt. Rev. Henry W. Hobson, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of southern Ohio, will conduct a confirmation service at Christ Episcopal Church Thursday evening, it is announced. Before administering this old-established rite in the church to a class of candidates Bishop Hobson will preach to the congregation.

Members of the church are preparing to welcome Bishop Hobson on this occasion, it being his first visit here for confirmation services, although he has been here previously for Easter services. Bishop Hobson is one of the youngest men holding that office in the Episcopal church and is known as a leader among boys and young men.

Following the service which starts at 7:30 o'clock an informal reception will be held in the Parish House for Bishop Hobson and the newly confirmed members. This has been planned instead of a parish dinner as previously announced.

## GIVEN DIPLOMAS

Diplomas were presented to nineteen graduates at the annual Jamestown High School commencement exercises in the Jamestown Opera House Tuesday night. The commencement speaker was Dr. J. V. McMillan, of the department of education, Miami University.

## PAROLE PRISONER

Edgar Parrin, Greene County prisoner serving a sentence of from one to twenty years on a charge of operating a motor vehicle without the owner's consent, will be released from the Mansfield state reformatory July 15, under a parole granted him Tuesday by the Ohio Board of Parole. Parrin was sentenced from the Greene County courts January 29, 1931.

## CAESARCREEK

Mrs. Herman Agnor was hostess to the Zoar Aid Society at her home last Thursday afternoon. The president, Mrs. A. E. Beam, presided over the meeting. After the regular business session the ladies spent the time in quilting and later the hostess served refreshments.

Pomona Grange will meet Wednesday for an all day meeting at the Caesarcreek School building. At noon a basket dinner will be served and Clinton County Pomona will furnish the program in the afternoon.

Our three seniors, Misses Leona Middleton, Grace Thomas, and Rosella McDonald, will graduate from Central High, Xenia, next week.

Thursday afternoon the 4-H Club girls will meet and elect their officers for this year at the school building.

The play and program along with the luncheon was highly enjoyed by a full house given by the Sunday school class and Miss Ruth Lewis as teacher at Zoar church last Thursday evening. The program will be repeated at Lumberman church this Thursday evening for the benefit of the Aid Society at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith were

## What Is Your Pet -- Driving Fault?

**N**EARLY every one has some pet driving weakness. It may be impatience, irritation, preoccupation with other matters when driving, or too great a love for speed. In other respects we may be good drivers; but in this one we needlessly endanger ourselves and others.

What is your particular driving fault? If you're willing to admit that you have one, and will try to recognize it and squelch it when it shows up, you may save yourself from waking up in the hospital some morning and finding yourself another accident statistic!

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## MRS. DAVIS

continues her education

You know Mrs. Davis—the little bride. Two weeks before her marriage she graduated from college with high honors. But in one respect her education has been neglected.

Yesterday, for instance, she picked up the telephone and called the grocer. "I would like," she said politely, "to have some things sent up. A bag of flour—three packages of breakfast food—one can of baking-powder—six bottles of ginger ale—a pound of coffee—a package of—what's that? Oh, Why, I'm sure I don't know what brand. Just any kind, I guess!"

No wonder the storekeeper interrupted her. He gets few orders like that nowadays. For wise housewives buy things by name. Not merely groceries, but kitchenware and piece-goods and household appliances; shoes and shirts and garden seeds; all the thousand and one things they need.

Mrs. Davis will complete her education. She will learn to study the advertisements in the daily paper, and to keep herself informed as to qualities and prices. She will take her place alongside thousands of other women as the efficient purchasing agent of her home.

Read the advertising columns of this paper regularly. They are your guide-posts to safe buying.



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## Tenor Delights Music Lovers In Concert

MUSIC lovers of Xenia who attended the concert of Mario Cappelli, American-Italian tenor, at the First M. E. Church Tuesday evening were afforded a rare treat. The program of the singer, who was born in the United States of Italian parentage but spent his early life in Italy, was composed of three types of songs—Italian numbers, including grand opera

### ENTERTAINS SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR COMRADES.

Mr. Elmer Shoemaker, Dayton Ave., entertained as his guests at his home Sunday Messrs. William J. Cline, John Swartz and Nicole Tamme, all of Cincinnati. The three men were comrades of Mr. Shoemaker in the Spanish-American War and this was their first reunion since they were discharged.

During the war Mr. Cline was quartermaster's sergeant and Mr. Swartz and Mr. Shoemaker were sergeants. Mr. Tamme was a farmer. The men were members of Troop A, 4th U. S. Cavalry.

Mrs. Anna Harbison, Cincinnati, was also a guest at the Shoemaker home Sunday.

### I. G. F. CLUB TO

#### PRESENT ENTERTAINMENT.

An entertainment consisting of music by a jug band, acts by a ventriloquist and contortionist will be presented by local talent under auspices of the Independent Good Fellowship Club of the I. O. O. F. Lodge at the I. O. O. F. Hall, W. Main St., Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock. Dancing will be enjoyed after the entertainment.

Choirs of the First M. E. Church will practice this week as follows: adult choir, Wednesday 8 p. m.; children's choir, Thursday 2 p. m.; and junior choir, Thursday 4 p. m. The junior and children's choirs are rehearsing music for Children's Day.

Miss Carrie Bahl, Main and Galloway Sts., who has been ill several weeks, shows considerable improvement.

Kenneth Boxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boxwell, Delta, O., is visiting here at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Boxwell, N. Galloway St., and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fuller, Thornhill Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Boxwell will join their son here Saturday.

All members of the degree team of Pride of Xenia Council, No. 140, D. of A., are asked to wear their white uniforms at the meeting Thursday evening and to come prepared for the initiation service. There will be the second nomination of officers at the meeting.

Mr. Clarence "Bert" Wilson, W. Church St., who underwent a serious operation for ulcers of the stomach at McClellan Hospital two weeks ago, was removed home Tuesday.

Miss Grace Augustus, Towler Road, was removed home Saturday from McClellan Hospital where she had been a patient receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Ray Helvenston and infant son, Tilden, Pittsburgh, are spending several days here with Dr. and Mrs. Reed Madden, W. Church St.

Mrs. Nat Smith and grandson, Willard Davis, Fairfield Pike, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hubbard, W. Main St., this city, returned home Tuesday after a motor trip through Kentucky, Tennessee and Georgia.

Mrs. Mary G. Dean left Wednesday for her home in Zanesville after spending several months here with friends.

Dr. W. T. Ungard was host to members of the Greene County Abolition Club at his home on N. King St., Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Praver, Orange St., is seriously ill at her home suffering from a complication of diseases.

County Treasurer Harold Van Pelt and Mrs. Van Pelt (Helen Dodds), 132 W. Third St., returned home Tuesday after their wedding trip through the South. They were gone ten days and made the trip by motor.

Mr. John S. Hoverstick, Dayton Ave., is seriously ill at his home after suffering a stroke of paralysis Saturday night.

## KIWANIS CLUB HERE HOST TO COVINGTON MEMBERS TUESDAY

Guy O'Donnell, Covington, former state governor of Kiwanis; Mike Drees, Covington, lieutenant governor of Kiwanis and Walter Ingram, Chicago, from international Kiwanis headquarters, were speakers when the Xenia Kiwanis Club was host to the Covington, O., club at the Elks' Club Tuesday evening.

Twenty-seven of the twenty-eight members of the Covington club were guests. Dr. Kendall, 84, of Covington, oldest Kiwanian in the state, was a guest of honor. He has only missed two Kiwanis meetings in the last ten years.

Mr. Maier, president of the Covington club, presented a "treasure chest" and "pipe of peace" to H. E. Rice, president of the Xenia club, who in turn presented it to the Troy Kiwanis Club next week. Following a series of visits of the clubs in this district, the club having the largest representation of membership at the meetings will receive the trophies permanently.

Miss Martha Ann Baughn sang two solos at the meeting and George Gates, of the O. S. and S. O. Home Cadet Band, played two trumpet solos. The boys' quartet from the Home sang several selections.

## GOVERNOR'S DAUGHTER AND FIANCE



Charlotte White, younger daughter of Gov. George White of Ohio, when he attended her after she had been injured in an automobile accident several months ago.

## ANTIOCH PROFESSOR'S WIFE IS SUED SEQUEL TO AUTO ACCIDENT

An auto collision at a street intersection in Yellow Springs November 10, 1931 is the basis of a suit demanding \$25,752.50 damages, instituted in Common Pleas Court by Charles A. Mitchell, Springfield, against Mrs. Eleanor A. Berdon, wife of Prof. A. E. Berdon, of Antioch College.

Mitchell, who was employed as assistant manager for the Springfield district of The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., claims to have been seriously injured in the accident. It is claimed that the Antioch professor's wife, driving west on Limestone St., designated as a "stop" street, drove onto High St., designated as a main thoroughfare, and crashed into Mitchell's sedan, which upset and was wrecked.

Mitchell, who was driving north on High St., charges the defendant's car was traveling between forty-five and fifty miles an hour and that it failed to stop at the intersection.

Injuries allegedly received by Mitchell included concussion of the brain, possible skull fracture, and wrenched vertebra in the neck which he claims, has affected his back and nervous system. Confined to bed, by reason of his injuries, until last January 5, the

plaintiff asserts he will always be partly disabled, and that his monthly earning capacity has been decreased from between \$300 and \$350 to \$60.

Demanding \$25,000 damages for injuries sustained, Mitchell also seeks to recover \$500 for damage to his auto and \$252.50 for medical expenses incurred in treatment of his injuries. Miller and Finney are the plaintiff's attorneys.

## EVEN KEYNOTERS OF PARTIES INVOLVED IN PAYROLL RACKET

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the veteran Rep. Willis Hawley's participation in the practice was a factor in his defeat in the Republican primaries. United Press dispatches on payroll practices brought the disclosure that Hawley carried a Salem attorney on his payroll, at \$2,500 a year, paid out of government funds. The revelation was used against him in the campaign and caused widespread criticism of Hawley. He is an administration stalwart and has served in congress continuously since 1907.

The real nature of the family payroll racket as sometimes practiced is not always apparent on the records themselves. Take the case of Rep. Green of Florida, chairman of the committee on the disposition of useless papers.

This correspondent telephoned Green twice to check up on a report that George Johns, employed at \$2,700 as secretary of this committee, is Green's nephew.

Anyway Green has an elderly father, who is practically never in Washington, on the payroll at \$291.66 a month while the young lady, who does most of the office work, draws \$125 a month—showing her in the congressman's judgment apparently, to be one-third as valuable to the government as the congressman's father in Florida.

Just a few days ago Green's economic impulses burst forth—it wasn't in reference to his own family payroll—he suggested in the house that the mileage of federal judges be abolished.

"The salaries of judges cannot be decreased, but everybody else is taking a cut and there is no reason why they should not," Green told the house.

## JUDGE AND MRS. COCHRAN CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Celebration of their golden wedding anniversary by Judge A. M. J. Cochran, of the Eastern Kentucky Federal Court, and Mrs. Cochran at their home in Maysville, Ky., Tuesday is of interest here as their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Armstrong Cochran, was formerly Miss Irene Eavey, this city.

The celebration was quiet except for a dinner at their home in the evening when sixty relatives and close friends of the family were entertained.

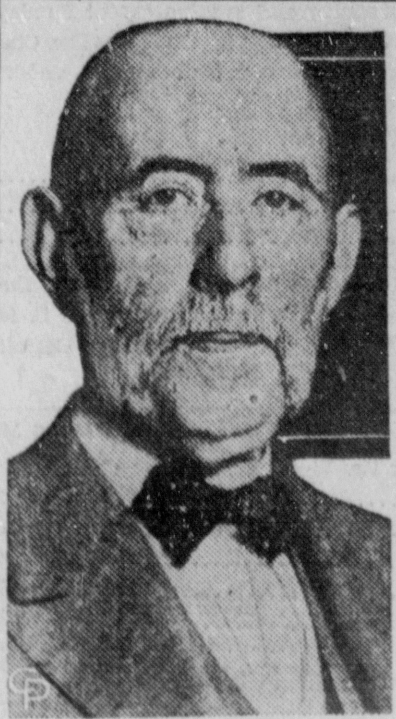
Judge and Mrs. Cochran, who was Miss Lucy B. McElroy, of Lebanon, Ky., before marriage, were married May 24, 1882 at the home of Mrs. Cochran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McElroy. Since their marriage they have resided in an old colonial mansion in Maysville, which was the home of Judge Cochran's parents and grandparents. Judge and Mrs. Cochran are the parents of three children: John McElroy Cochran, Mrs. Thomas A. Duke and Robert Armstrong Cochran, all of Maysville.

Both Judge and Mrs. Cochran came from a long line of ancestors who have played prominent parts in the history of Kentucky. Mrs. Cochran's mother was Lou Ann Stiles, daughter of W. H. Stiles, Warren County, Ky., and a niece on her maternal side, of Joseph R. Underwood, who was known before Civil War days as a lawyer, judge of the court of appeals and United States senator. Mrs. Cochran's father was a prominent farmer of Marion County, Ky.

Judge Cochran was born in Maysville February 4, 1854, the son of Robert Armstrong and Harriett January Cochran and on both his paternal and maternal sides is a descendant of noted families.

### PAUL IS ACCUSED!

HOLLYWOOD, May 25—A municipal court suit against Paul Whiteman, orchestra conductor, was on file today in behalf of Robert C. Kerr who charged that his house suffered \$403.25 damages while Whiteman occupied it. Installation of a small bar, spilled liquor and cigars burns on furniture and rugs contributed to the damage, Kerr charged.



JUDGE COCHRAN

## NEW BURLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanley of Zoar, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin of Sabina, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hill and family spent the week end with friends at Marion, Ind.

The Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. Glenna Wilson, of the Caesars Creek Community, Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shanks and baby, Mrs. Jennie M. Reeves of Harveysburg, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wheeler of Liberty, Ind., spent Sunday with B. H. Miller and family.

J. H. Reeves was pleasantly surprised by the members of his family Wednesday evening on his sixty-eighth birthday. Ice cream and cake were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bullen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Reeves.

On Sunday occurred the annual reunion of the Hawkins family, at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Hawkins. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leaton Null and family, Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Terrell and family, near New Vienna, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hawkins and daughter, Kingman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hartman and family and Mrs. Nannie Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Haydock and family.

Miss Lulu Ewing has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wade and family of Bowersville, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Robinson, Xenia, Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett of Dayton were Sunday guests of Charles Robinson and Miss Mildred Robinson.

Rev. Mark Boyd was called to his home at Westfield, Ind., by the illness of his father.

With well filled baskets, members of the Chenoweth family gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr after church Sunday, May 14 was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Carr. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chenoweth, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenoweth, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Evans and family, Carl Chenoweth, Ruth Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carr and Bobby, Mrs. Murray McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Chenoweth and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Matthews and family Spring Valley, Cliff Evans, Misses Erma, Mary and Elizabeth Evans, Xenia Pike and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr and daughter, Mildred.

Mrs. H. F. Compton was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Evan Bogan at a mother-daughter banquet at the church at Belmont, Thursday evening.

Ed Cook and son of Columbus called on relatives here Sunday.

Pharus Holland has been helping with a shoe sale at a store at Celina, the past week.

Moved this week the Haydock property.

### ANTIQUE EXHIBIT

The Ladies of the 4th Division of the Second U. P. Church, Xenia, will have an Antique Exhibit in the church parlors Friday, May 27.

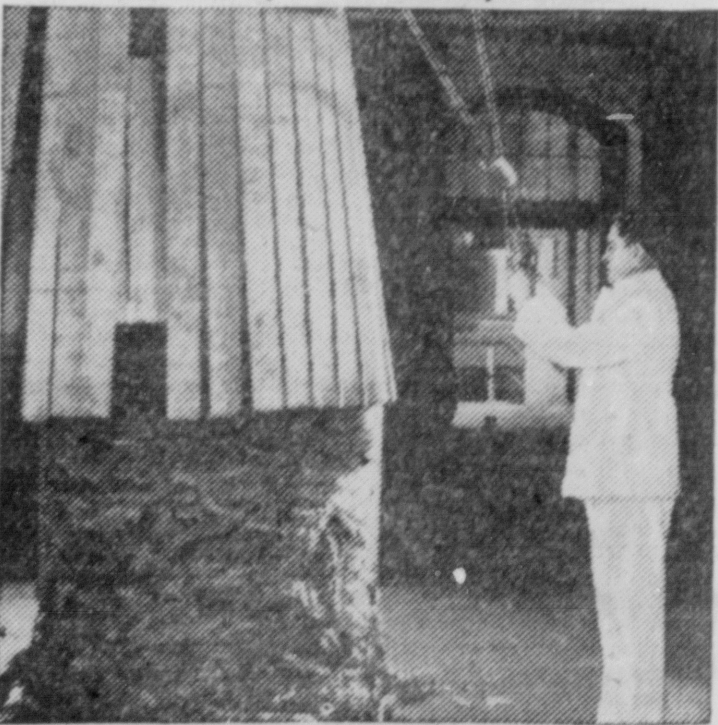
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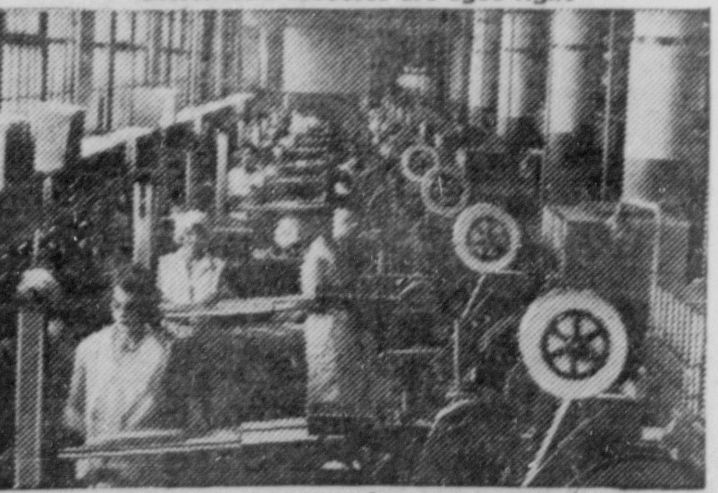
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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Sorrow is better than laughter: for by the sadness of the countenance the heart is made better.—Ecclesiastes, vii, 3.

## CHILDREN AND ANIMALS

Two extremely interesting statements dealing with the conduct of children and animals brought into close contact have come, within a few days, from two scientists.

Dr. W. N. Kellogg, psychologist at the University of Indiana, reports that he and Mrs. Kellogg have been rearing their child and a young chimpanzee secured from the Yale Experimental Station, under identical conditions. The baby and the young anthropoid ape have played together, eaten together, and worn the same sort of clothing. Dr. Kellogg says that the chimpanzee has behaved in almost all respects as his own child has; because a simian matures more rapidly than a human being does, has surpassed it in "memory, co-operative spirit and ability to grasp knowledge." The ape "showed superior co-ordination" and did small tasks better than the heir of the Kellogg's did, but was unable to learn to speak, and the doctor doubts whether a chimpanzee, though a highly intelligent simian, can be taught to talk. What Dr. Kellogg believes he has proved is that much of a human infant's early behavior is acquired and is not "native or natural" and that many early reactions are due to environment rather than heredity.

Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, curator of physical anthropology at the Smithsonian Institution, who occupies a singularly eminent place in his particular branch of science, takes up the question studied by Dr. Kellogg from a somewhat different angle and arrives at a somewhat different conclusion. Instead of considering the way in which animals resemble human children, he considers the manner in which children chum with animals and imitate them, if what they do is "imitation," which the doctor clearly doubts.

Some children go so far, Dr. Hrdlicka says, that they seem to understand the language of animals and duplicate their gestures in such detail that it is difficult to believe the behavior purely imitative. He asserts that there are many instances of youngsters who for weeks at a time will not respond to their own names, which they know perfectly well, but will approach immediately when their mothers address them as dogs; and he tells of one boy, now an honor student in college, who used to wallow with a pig in a mud puddle, the two grunting back and forth and apparently understanding each other.

After investigating his subject exhaustively, Mr. Hrdlicka has reached the conclusion that the intensity with which some small children, particularly lonely ones, enter into identification of themselves with lower animals, justifies a belief that their conduct "may be a manifestation of philogenetic inheritances from far removed, prehuman ancestors."

Where scientists appear to diverge over the relative claims of environment and heredity to pre-eminence, it is folly for a mere layman to speak. We abstain. We only suggest that Dr. Kellogg and Dr. Hrdlicka both have satisfied themselves that the relationship and possible companionship and understanding between men and the lower animals is considerably greater than many people think. And we wish that Dr. Hrdlicka had gone a little farther and talked about werewolves and leopard men and other similar imaginative conceptions of primitive men.

## JAPAN'S PROPOSAL

The State Department is studying Japan's proposal that the United States, Great Britain, France and Italy join it in an agreement for common action for the protection of foreign lives and property in the Shanghai area and elsewhere in China. This proposal is a corollary to withdrawal by Japan of its troops from Shanghai without insisting upon the neutralization of a defensive zone around the Settlement at that port. There is nothing illogical about it. Conditions regarding foreign lives in China become steadily more unsatisfactory. The cost to this country of having to maintain a China squadron and rush vessels from one port to another is by no means inconsiderable.

Objection to an agreement for common action may be found in Washington on the ground that it would weaken the Nine-Power Treaty; which the State Department is holding over Japan in Manchuria. China is obligated by that pact to keep its house in order. A formal agreement among the powers to take care of their own nationals in China might be interpreted as an admission on their part that China today is incapable of meeting that obligation, if not even an admission that the "administrative integrity" of China is largely fictional.

All of the principal powers having nationals in China have acted to protect their lives and property when these have been threatened by Chinese trouble makers. Sometimes, as in the Boxer uprising of 1900, they have taken common action. Whether or not an agreement for common action in future is the wisest course can only be determined by a thorough study of events and trends. Japan has two objects in mind making the proposal. One is to secure adequate protection for foreign lives—and especially Japanese lives. The other is to obtain this without having again to bear the cost in money and "world opprobrium" which resulted from its recent lone-hand action at Shanghai. The four other powers invited to consider the proposal presumably will look equally to their own interests before committing themselves along the suggested line.

## WOMAN SUCCEEDS

Amelia Earhart Putnam has proved that a woman can span the Atlantic in a solo flight. Also she has proved that to make the trip is still a hazardous undertaking. Apart from that she does not seem to have proved much of anything. Trouble developed with Mrs. Putnam's engine shortly after leaving Newfoundland. She decided it was as safe to go ahead as to go back. Then her gasoline tank began to leak. She was threatened by fire and by the possibility of running out of fuel before she reached land. A good deal of the 2,000 miles between Harbor Grace and Londonderry was done "on the top of the waves." She decided she would rather drown than burn. The choice was one to take the zest out of Atlantic solo flying for any but the most venturesome of human beings.

Obviously a good deal of improvement must still be made in airplanes before they can be depended on to stand up under the terrific strain placed upon them on trans-Atlantic flights, with absolute assurance that they will behave as they are expected to. Yet Col. Lindbergh appears to have had no mechanical trouble on his flight from New York to Paris five years ago. A surprising thing is that as expert a flier as Mrs. Putnam would start to cross the ocean in a machine that began to act badly before the trip was more than a quarter completed. That does not detract from the credit due her for skillfully overcoming this handicap, as well as that of bad weather, and bringing her plane to a safe landing, after its 15-hour journey.

## MY NEW YORK

By JAMES ASWELL

NEW YORK.—From the Notebook of an Inquisitive Fellow: Midnight sailings, most glamorous of all bon voyage times, caused the lines a good deal of worry for awhile....

Convivial guests swooped down with departing friends and often the big liners looked like the wake of a confetti manufacturer's convention.... Sometimes, out of sheer excess of good spirits, furs and fixures swiped as souvenirs.... But the lines decided not to abandon the late departures even so; they were good advertisements!

There are only two women light-house keepers on this side of the water. Mrs. Fannie M. Salter, of Turkey Point, Chesapeake Bay, and Mrs. Maggie R. Norvell, of New Basin Canal, Louisiana.... Now don't accuse me of not prying into things.

A Broadway flipperacker remarked of a girl who rose and fell in musical comedy, despite legs of almost grotesque thinness: "She was the Ivar Kreuger of Broadway. She made a fortune out of matchsticks...." But she was an honest woman, he should have added, unlike the Swedish mogul, who also struck lean pegging in the end.

## BY LAMPLIGHT

Shows which come out of Harlem are no longer titillating to this taste, but it cannot be denied that they have a native zest and gusto which white producers and actors would do well to emulate. Ever since "Shuffle Along" of six or seven years ago, the sepi performers have been bucking Broadway with more riots of color and clogging.... Every colored revue has been a rewriting of "Shuffle Along" with the possible exception of "Rhapsody in Black."

The tide of beggars of all ages and descriptions who slipped by doormen and desk clerks to solicit alms from Manhattan apartment dwellers has diminished space.... Yet one husky mendicant with longshoreman's shoulders did not punch my bell the other morning and greeted me with what is probably the last word in frankness for the profession.... "I want," he said eyeing me levelly, "a dollar to buy a drink...."

Peeking into a vast chasm excavated under a downtown sidewalk near where a new skyscraper will rise, I became entranced by the spectacle of hundreds of telephone trunk lines being repaired by a crew of workmen.... They shuffled the long, snake-like conduits with skilled hands.... How they knew which was which of the undulating tubes was more than I could guess.

Mill Gross, the cartoonist, at my elbow, cracked, "Look, Jim, there's the spaghetti of the machine age!"

## A TERRIBLE INFANT

I recollect a nurse called Ann. Who carried me about the grass. And one fine day a fine young man Came up, and kissed the pretty lass;

She did not make the least objection!

Thinks I, "Aha! When I can talk, I'll tell Mamma."

—And that's my earliest recollection.

—F. Locker-Lampson (1821-1895)

## THE QUESTION BOX

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## GRAB BAG

Why do horses eat bark off the trees?

How long have men ridden horses?

What is the greatest sheep center in the United States?

Correctly Speaking—

Avoid the habit of compounding clauses with so. Ordinarily subordinate the preceding clause and omit the so.

Today's Anniversary

On this day, in 1819, Julia Ward Howe, American poetess and philanthropist, was born.

Today's Horoscope

Persons born on this day are lighthearted, sympathetic to a degree, and need love.

Answers to Foregoing Questions

1. This is usually a sign of the deficiency of mineral matter in their diets.

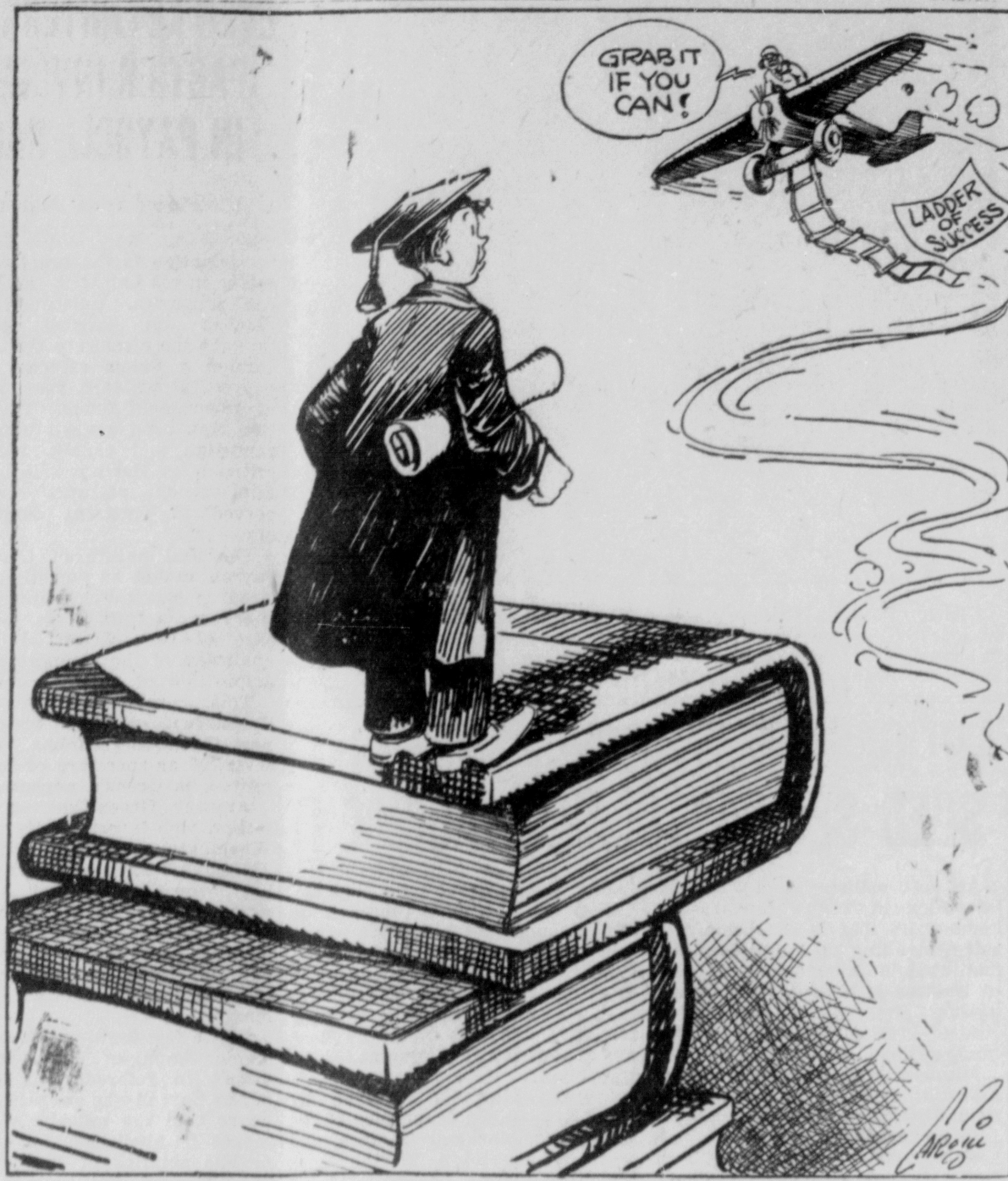
2. Approximately 3,000 years.

3. Idaho and Wyoming are the greatest centers for range sheep, while Ohio is the greatest farm sheep center in the United States.

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## THE BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE IN SOME CITIES



## Land Is So Encumbered Now That Farmers Find It Hard To Eke Out Own Livelihood

WASHINGTON.—Hardly anyone suggests any more that actual destitution is impossible in a country where productive land is available to whomsoever cares to cultivate it for a living.

President Melvin A. Traylor for the First National Bank of Chicago did hint at an idea in a talk I had with him several months ago. "Farming," he said "not only is not, in reality, overdone in the United States; we have room for 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 more farmers, if only they would realize that their calling is not one to get rich at, but simply to yield livelihoods to those who follow it."

The nub of it is that, given a sufficient number of fertile acres to support a family any able-bodied man can exist on them on his own terms with his wife and children. I myself saw it done by many folk a generation ago in what was then Dakota Territory.

Food was assured; each settler raised, for the year round, what his household required. He and his brood dwelt quite likely in a sod house; a competent pioneer can construct one lone-handed. Turf served for fuel; in some localities the cottonwood. Clothing was the sole cash item—and not all of that; home-dressed cowskin made warm coats for winter.

It was a rough life, but absolutely independent. Moreover, not a few adventurous spirits downright liked it. They came from the east and pre-empted claims which were to be had from the government for nominal fees. In fact, they kept coming until they filled up the territory and carved two states out of it.

Obviously, then, it was not an unbearable existence. There were depressions in those days, too, but they were not like today's. There was free land to fall back on. Even in the 1890's not every urbanite fancied trekking forth to face the hardships of the "open spaces," but some urbanites had the nerve to do it whenever industrial employment slackened, and sooner or later this thinning out process always brought about an easing of the city pressure.

In recent years, as we know, the drift has been strongly in the opposite direction—from the farms into the centers of population—until that and other causes have resulted in the present economic jam. Yet land is still to be had.

Indeed, it is being acquired in enormous areas—by the states, at tax sales by big corporations under foreclosure, and neither the states nor the corporations want it; they would be delighted, generally speaking, to get rid of it for the face of their claims, or a little less.

And that appears to be just the difficulty.

The land is there, but it no longer is free. On the contrary, it is so encumbered by debts and taxes that it does not afford even bare livings to its cultivators. The tax collector, to say nothing of the mortgage holder, sweeps off everything they can produce before they and their families have time to eat it.

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And after that, I wandered off into moral reflections on how much time and energy and brains and emotions we waste in this living of ours.... Life sets many a knotty problem before us, and in the end, after much suffering and worrying and annoyance, we solve most of these puzzles. We solve them, hurting ourselves, damaging other lives, wasting years of precious time—and then we say to ourselves: "If we had only known, if we had only followed the clear directions of our hearts, all this would have been settled long ago and we'd have no bitter memories nor scolding remorse. If we ever have another chance, we'll know what to do and make no such mistakes again."

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# SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED  
by Phil

What is the "punch" in softball? You would have found the answer Monday night in the bats of Anderson's Abbatoids, who slammed out seventeen hits and scored thirteen runs to administer a sound spanking to the Downtowners.

The fans who have begun to count the fatal ten over the National League title hopes of Manager "Tiny" Smith's aggregation have now decided to give Anderson's the benefit of a "long count," and postpone the passing of judgment.

Anderson's started a radically revamped lineup, and the change of scenery must have worked wonders for the players.

Not that the players had much to do in the field, because the outfielders and infielders did little more than stand around.

Twelve of the twenty-seven put-out were made by Catcher Milburn, one on a foul fly and eleven on strikeouts sponsored by Pitcher Delbert Kersey.

The Downtowners, who have the art of fanning down to a point bordering on perfection, nearly equalled their own record established last season when they struck out fifteen times in a contest that Lloyd Downey hurled for the Graham Paints.

Question of whether the champion Lang Chevrolet can be defeated in their mad rush toward a third successive league and city softball title may be decided Wednesday night.

Winner of their last three straight games over Coate's Barbers, Anderson's Abbatoids and Springfield Valley, the irresistible Chevrolet team will face its supreme test of the first round of play.

Langs will play an important contest with the Xenia Chick Hatchery, with which it is tied for the league leadership.

This will be one of those so-called "crucial" contests of the early season and the team which makes the fewest mental and physical slips should be returned the winner.

What the Softball Commission ought to do is initiate a custom of taking up a collection once a week, on evenings when good crowds are on hand, in order to keep out of debt. Surely local fans would not object to kicking in with a quarter, for example, once a week, until enough money is procured to eliminate financial worries for the balance of the season. A quarter contribution would be at the rate of a nickel a game providing fans attend the league contests five nights a week.

Another logical suggestion, of which Ohmer Tate is the author, would do away with the nightly difficulty in obtaining umpires. His idea would be to let National League players sometimes officiate American League games, and vice versa. The players in the two leagues are, or should be, more familiar with the rules.

**POSTPONE GAME; ALLOWS PRACTICE**

By mutual consent of the two teams, an American League softball double-header between the Ex-Highs and Central High, scheduled for Thursday night at Cox Field, has been postponed.

The ball diamond will therefore not be in use for a league game, and will be available to teams for practice, the Softball Commission announces.

The Ex-Highs and Central played an 11 to 1 tie contest on the first round and were to have staged two games Thursday night.

**PAINTERSVILLE WINS FROM VALLEY**

The Famous Auto Supply softball team of Paintersville earned its fourth straight victory Tuesday night, defeating the Springfield Valley team, 7 to 5, on the Paintersville diamond.

L. Bone pitched for the Famous Autos and Leshur hurled for the Valley.

Paintersville will meet Bowersville in a return contest on the latter's diamond Friday evening. Score by innings: 1 0 0 2 0 0 0-5 Paintersville 0 0 4 1 0 2 0 0 x-7

**THE BIG FIVE**

Babe Ruth hit his eleventh home run of the season, accounting for two scores, in three times at bat. Lou Gehrig went hitless in three times up.

Al Simmons walked, and was driven in, in four tries.

Hack Wilson garnered his season's fourth homer and singled, accounting for three runs, in three times up.

Bill Terry went hitless in five trips to the plate.

**TWO FLYERS KILLED**

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 25—Lloyd P. Collenberg, 30, and Herbert Hulse, 28, were dead today from injuries received when Collenberg's plane crashed from a low altitude near here.

## BATTALION SHELLS LANE FROM TRENCH; ARTILLERY IS USED

Militiamen Yearn For  
Mine Area; After  
Battle Here

Concentrated hitting, intermingled with errors, rewarded the O. S. and S. O. Home Cadets with a surprisingly one-sided 15 to 6 triumph over Company L, National Guard, in an American League softball contest at Cox Field Tuesday night, giving the cadets undisputed leadership of the league.

Harris Lane, Company L's south-paw pitcher, who had blanked the cadets the first time he faced them, continued to pitch shutout ball against them for the first four innings, while his teammates were collecting two runs in the second inning and three more in the first half of the fifth.

In the last half of the fifth, Lane's support collapsed, the cadets began to get hits, and with five runs in and only one out, Lane retired from the mound and was succeeded by Eddie Michael, who finally got the side out after six runs were tabulated.

Michael got by the sixth without being scored upon, but in the seventh a couple of errors again paved the way for more grief for the militia. Once more the cadets bats began to play a tattoo on various unoccupied spots in the field, and once more six runs had been produced before the third out was made. Yowell, catcher, bounced a homer over the fence in this round.

The cadets showed no mercy. You would have thought that twelve runs should satisfy any team. But the cadets were not so easily satisfied. They bunched four more hits to count four runs in the eighth and put the finishing touch on a slaughter.

Despite a broken finger, Bobbie Jones pitched a fine game for the winners, allowing only nine hits. It was more the fault of his support that Company L was able to score five runs in the early innings.

Once his team had overcome the five-run lead and given him a renewed interest in the pastime, Jones settled down and limited Co. L to two hits and one run in the last four rounds.

The cadets, noted for their batting prowess, assembled fourteen hits. Company L was accused of at least ten errors in the field.

Leadership of the National League will be the prize awarded the winner of the Lang Chevrolet-Xenia Chick Hatchery game Wednesday night, and a goodly crowd will be there.

## Standings

SOFTBALL STANDINGS (National)				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Hatchery	3	1	.750	
Langs	3	1	.750	
Anderson's	3	2	.600	
D. T. C. Club	2	2	.500	
Central	1	2	.333	
Sp. Valley	0	4	.000	

(American)				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Home Cadets	3	1	.750	
Central	2	1	.667	
Company L	2	3	.400	
Ex-Highs	0	2	.000	

CENTRAL LEAGUE				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Dayton	14	9	.609	
Youngstown	11	8	.578	
Erie	10	9	.526	
Port Wayne	10	12	.455	
South Bend	9	12	.429	
Akron	9	13	.409	

Yesterday's Results.				
Dayton 12, Akron 1.				
Erie 12, Port Wayne 1.				
Youngstown 7, South Bend 3.				

Games Today.				
Dayton at Akron.				
Erie at Port Wayne.				
South Bend at Youngstown.				

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Boston	21	12	.636	
Chicago	22	12	.649	
CINCINNATI	21	18	.538	
St. Louis	17	18	.486	
New York	12	18	.400	
Brooklyn	15	20	.429	
Pittsburgh	13	18	.419	
Philadelphia	15	21	.417	

Yesterday's Results.				
Pittsburgh 5, Cincinnati 3 (12 innings).				
Philadelphia 11, New York 8.				
Brooklyn 6, Boston 2.				
St. Louis 8, Chicago 6.				

Games Today.				
Chicago at St. Louis.				
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.				
Brooklyn at Boston.				
New York at Philadelphia.				

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
New York	24	9	.727	
Washington	22	13	.629	
Detroit	18	15	.545	
Philadelphia	18	16	.529	
CLEVELAND	19	18	.514	
St. Louis	13	18	.419	
Chicago	13	21	.382	
Boston	6	27	.182	

Yesterday's Results.				
New York 3, Philadelphia 1.				
Detroit 4, St. Louis 2.				
Chicago 11, Cleveland 7.				
(Only games scheduled.)				

Games Today.				
St. Louis at Detroit.				
Cleveland at Chicago.				
Philadelphia at New York.				
(Only games scheduled.)				

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION				
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Minneapolis	24	12	.667	
Indianapolis	22	16	.579	
COLUMBUS	22	16	.579	
Milwaukee	19	15	.559	
Kansas City	19	18	.514	
Louisville	11	20	.355	
TOLEDO	12	22	.353	
St. Paul	11	23	.324	

Yesterday's Results.				
Indianapolis 2, Columbus 5.				
Minneapolis 6, Kansas City 4.				
St. Paul 6, Milwaukee 5.				
(Only games scheduled.)				

Games Today.				
Toledo at Indianapolis.				
Columbus at Milwaukee.				
Minneapolis at Milwaukee.				
Kansas City at St. Paul.				

**JOE BROWN STRICKEN**

LOS ANGELES, May 25—Joe E. Brown, film comedian, was to undergo a double operation today for appendicitis and a leg infection.

## CASUALTY LIST

Company L	AB	RH	PO	A	E
Gabbert, st	4	0	1	0	1
Michael, ss	4	1	0	2	3
McKinley, lb	4	1	2	8	0
K. Finlay, 2b	4	1	0	0	2
Swadener, lf	4	1	1	0	1
South, cf	4	1	0	0	0
Dalton, rf	4	1	2	1	0
Glenn, c	4	0	1	8	0
Baldner, 3b	4	0	1	1	0
Lane, p-ss	3	0	0	2	1

Home Cadets	AB	RH	PO	A	E
M. Jones, cf	5	2	1	0	0
Blair, 3b	5	2	0	2	2
Wolfe, lf	5	2	3	0	0
Rowe, rf	5	1	1	0	1
Trumphour, lb	5	1	1	1	0
Badel, c	1	0	0	3	0
Rhoades, 2b	4	1	2	1	3
Shriner, ss	4	1	1	0	4
O'Brien, sf	4	1	1	0	0
Jones, p	3	2	1	1	6
Yowell, c	3	2	1	2	1
Dye, cf	0	0	0	0	1
Snider, rf	0	0	0	1	0

Totals	44	16	14	27	18	4
Score by Innings:						
Company L	020	030	001	—6		
Home Cadets	000	060	64x	—16		

Two-base hit—Wolfe. Three-base hit—Shriner. Home run—Yowell. Left on bases—Company L, 6; Home, 6. Struck out—by Jones, 5; by Lane, 5; by Michael, 1. Base on balls—off Lane, 1. Umpires—Boxwell, Huston, Muterspaw.

## CEDARVILLE BEATS WILBERFORCE NINE IN HECTIC FINISH

Last-Stanza Scoring  
Spree Furnishes  
Excitement

Cedarville College and Wilberforce University baseball teams, clashing for the second time this season on the Cedarville diamond Tuesday afternoon, staged one of the wildest ninth-inning finishes on record.

Sixteen runs were scored by the teams in this hectic round. Up to the ninth, Cedarville was leading, 8 to 3. In the first half of the last stanza, Wilberforce scored ten runs before the side could be retired, and Cedarville countered with six in the last half to squeeze out a 14 to 13 triumph. The Cedarville runs were produced after two were out.

The triumph over Wilberforce gave the Borsmen a record of three victories in four games played within the last ten days.

Behind the three-hit pitching of Preston Garlough, the Yellow Jackets defeated Bluffton College, 10 to 2, on Tuesday last week at Bluffton.

Last Friday, at Richmond, Ind., Cedarville's nine lost to Earlham College, 7 to 4. Charles Spencer pitched five innings and then retired in favor of Garlough, who hurled shutout ball the last four rounds.

Garlough registered his second shutout victory of the season last Saturday at Cedarville when he blanked Findlay College, leader of the Northwest Ohio Conference, 8 to 0.

Garlough also twirled the game with Wilberforce Tuesday and was effective until the ninth when the Wilberforce team staged its great ten-run rally.

**BANDITS CAUGHT IN STOLEN TAXI**

CINCINNATI, O., May 25.—A two-mile chase of a stolen taxicab ended last night in Norwood with the arrest of a man giving the name of Frank Stone, alias George Miller, 25, of Akron. O. Stone's companion, believed wounded, escaped.

Clayton McKenzie the holdup victim, identified Stone as one of the men who took his cab and thirty cents, and threw him into a woods near the city limits after binding his hands, feet and mouth with adhesive tape.

**FORMER BROKERS SENTENCED TO YEAR**

CINCINNATI, O., May 25.—J. Nevin Roberts and Walker P. Hall, former partners in the brokerage firm of Roberts—Hall, were sentenced to one year each on each of two counts by Judge Thomas H. Morrow in criminal court late Tuesday. The sentences on the two counts are to run concurrently.

They were convicted of illegally pledging securities belonging to Mrs. Lucy Passmore, a customer, for an amount greater than her indebtedness to the firm.

**CONVICTED WIFE SLAYER APPEALS**

LIMA, O., May 25.—The third district appellate court today had under advisement an appeal presented yesterday by attorneys for Roy W. Bowers, 28, Wyandot County farmer convicted of slaying his wife, Grace, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The 298-page transcript of the trial will be analyzed. Defense attorney Frank Stalter, Upper Sandusky, argued Mrs. Bowers committed suicide and Bowers attempted to conceal her act. He also claimed errors in instructions to the trial jury.

**PLANE IN DISTRESS**

BOSTON, May 25.—Coast guard headquarters today received an SOS from a ship to shore mail plane bound from the North German Lloyd liner Europa to New York. The plane was reported in trouble about 500 miles at sea. It had been catapulted from the Europa 800 miles out at 9 a. m. E. S. T. and was due in New York about 5 p. m. E. S. T.

## N. Y. STOCK MARKET

CLOSING QUOTATIONS  
New York stock market quotations received from V. E. Hutton and Co., Mutual Home Bldg., Dayton, at 2 p. m. daily.

American Can	36 1/4	36 1/4
Am. Rolling Mill	3 3/4	3 3/4
Am. Smelting	7 7/8	7 7/8
Anaconda Copper	4 1/2	4 1/2
Atlantic Ref.	11 1/4	11 1/4
* T. & T.	3 3/4	3 3/4
Bethlehem Steel	12 1/4	12 1/4
C. & O. R. E.	12 1/4	12 1/4
Col. G. & E.	7 1/4	7 1/4
Com. Solvents	5	5
Cons. Oil	5	5
Continental Can	20 1/2	20 1/2
Cont. Oil Del.	5	5
Gen. Foods	24 1/2	24 1/2
General Motors	9 1/4	9 1/4
Gillette	13 1/4	13 1/4
Grigsby-Grunow	3 1/4	3 1/4
Hudson Motors	3 1/4	3 1/4
Kelvinator	3 1/4	3 1/4
Kroger	11 1/4	11 1/4
Packard	21 1/2	21 1/2
Para-Public	17 1/2	17 1/2
Penn. R. R.	9	9
Prairie Oil & Gas	4 1/2	4 1/2
Proctor & Gamble	28	27 3/4
Radio Corp.	3 1/2	3 1/2
Sears-Roebuck	16	15 3/4
Servel Inc.	2	2
Socoy Vacuum	8	7 3/4
Standard, N. J.	24 1/4	23 3/4
Studebaker	3 1/2	3 1/2
United Aircraft	7 1/4	7 1/4
U. S. Steel	28 1/2	27 3/4
Warner Bros.	1	1
Woolworth	27 1/2	26 3/4
Cities Service	3 1/4	3 1/4

## REFUSES PART IN "MEDICAL CIRCUS"

MIAMI, Fla., May 25.—Dr. H. I. Agos has refused to serve on the commission for disinterment of the body of Haden Clarke because he "doesn't want to participate in a medical circus."

An autopsy had been ordered at the request of counsel for Captain W. N. Lancaster (flier, indicted on a charge of murdering Clarke). Clarke was engaged to marry Mrs. J. M. Keith-Miller, managed by Lancaster.

**TASK PROVES SLOW**

TOKIO, May 25.—Viscount Makoto Saito was making slow progress toward formation of a cabinet to succeed the government of the murdered Premier Inukai, with only four of fourteen cabinet posts known to have been accepted.

**CHILDREN DEMONSTRATE**

MOSCOW, May 25.—Seventy-five thousand bare legged boys and girls dressed in colorful gymnasium suits staged an impressive demonstration in Red Square emphasizing the importance of the Soviet government attaches to physical culture in national defense.

**ISSUE OVERSUBSCRIBED**

WASHINGTON, May 25.—A new \$50,000,000 issue of treasury bills was oversubscribed five and a half times, Secretary Mills announced.

**LAEMMLE OPERATED ON**

BALTIMORE, Md., May 25.—Corl Laemmle, 65-year-old motion picture executive, was reported resting comfortably today at Johns Hopkins







## More Work On Coast Is Paramount's Boast

Increased employment for Hollywood workers in all branches of the movie industry is assured by the decision of Paramount to produce all its features at its Hollywood studio instead of some at its New York plant.

Approximately sixty-five feature productions will be turned out during the film season beginning in June. Entertainment possibilities will be furthered by combining two or more stellar personalities in the casting of many productions. One, "Son of the Eagle," will have almost every star and featured player of the studio participating in one way or another.

Besides the features, 241 short subjects are on the program. Among the features will be Maurice Chevalier's "Love Me Tonight" and "The Way to Love"; Marlene Dietrich in "Blonde Venus," "Deep Night" and "Promised"; "The Sign of the Cross,"

## Twenty Years '12-Ago-'32

The Greene County Republican convention, held in Xenia Saturday, was controlled by the Taft men, with scarcely a murmur from the Roosevelt forces.

W. Stanley Paxson, Jamestown, student at the Cincinnati Law School in the sophomore class, is among the honor men this year and won a special prize of \$100.

At the annual junior banquet of the high school at the Grand Hotel, one of the best toasts of the evening was given by Raymond Horen on the subject of "Athletics."



MIRIAM HOPKINS

a Cecil B. DeMille production; Harold Lloyd in "Movie Crazy"; the Four Marx Brothers in "Horse Feathers"; "The Big Broadcast" with Bing Crosby and other radio stars; "The Phantom President," musical romance and political burlesque; "Madame Butterfly," with Sylvia Sydney and Gary Cooper; several Westerns, with Johnny Mack Brown; "The Lusitania Secret," a mystery; "Hot Ice," an ice hockey drama; "The Red Temptation," Russian melodrama; "Loves of a Bengal Lancer," a jungle film; "The Song of Songs," with Miriam Hopkins;

"A Farewell to Arms" with Frederic March and Helen Hayes; "Not Married," with Miriam Hopkins; "No Bed of Her Own," with Adrienne Allen and George Raft; "The Mirrors of Washington," co-starring Tallulah Bankhead and Gary Cooper; "If I had a Million," all-day cast; "Blood and Sand," with Tallulah Bankhead and Cary Grant; "Dream Without Ending," "The West Pointer," "The Glass Key," "Fires of Spring," "Connecting Rooms," "Madison Square Garden" and "The Trouble With Women."

Herbert Marshall has been chosen to play opposite Marlene Dietrich in "Blonde Venus," the picture that caused the rift between the star Josef von Sternberg and Paramount, which has now been patched up. Marshall has been appearing with his wife, Edna Best, in the stage play "There's Always Juliet" in New York. Many Xenia fans missed a fine picture if they failed to see

## JUST AMONG US GIRLS



A few little LOVE PATS on the cheek will win a girl but to win a man try PATTING HIM ON THE BACK.

## BIG SISTER



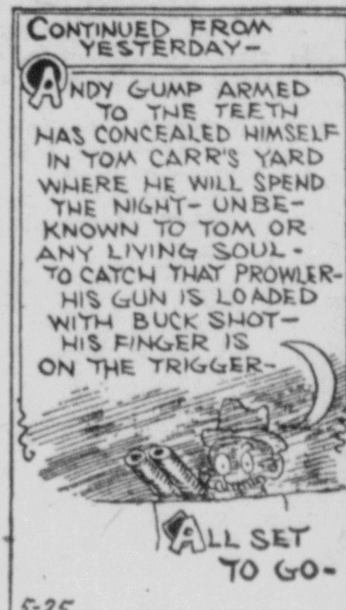
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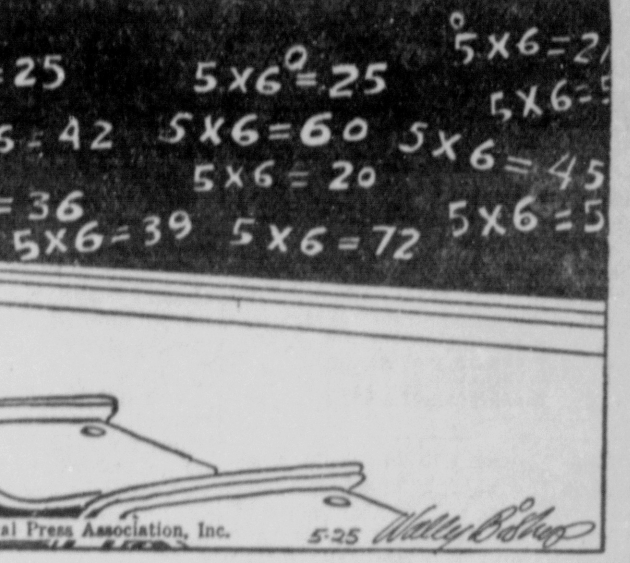
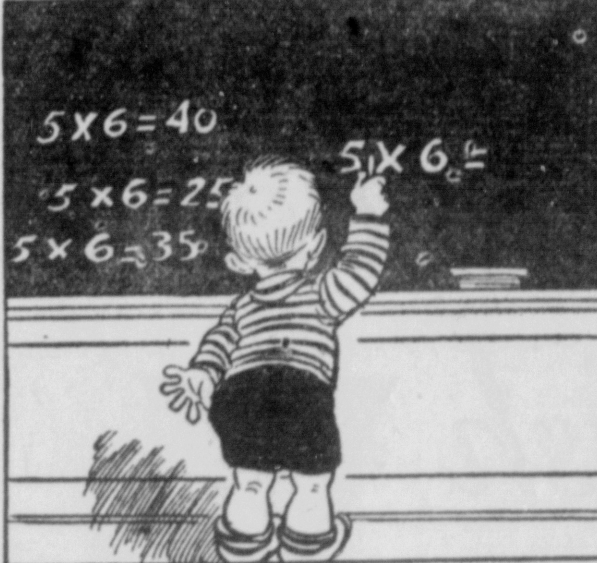


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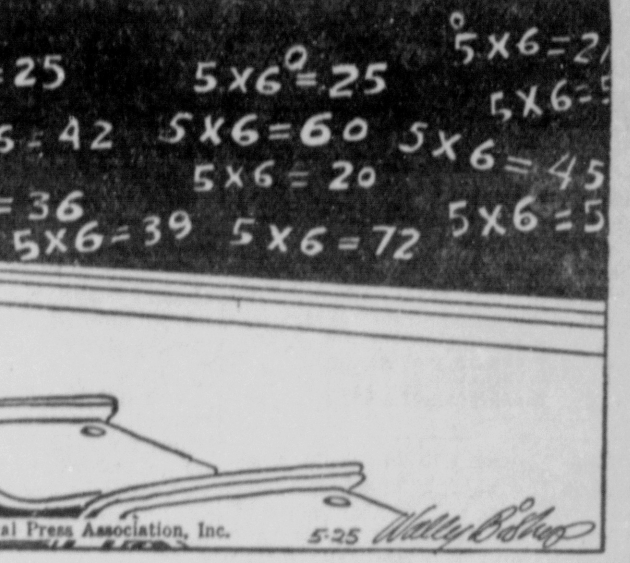


## By PAUL ROBINSON

## MUGGS MCGINNIS



## Eency, Meeny, Mincey, Mo!



## By WALLY BISHOP

## HIGH PRESSURE PETE



## Reason Enough



## By GEORGE SWAN

## "CAP" STUBBS



## Ev'rybody Wants To Know Ev'rything!



## By EDWINA

# A PAGE OF FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY



## GLEN HELEN STORY PRESERVED IN BOOK BY LATE PHYSICIAN

Glen Helen, a valuable tract of land approaching in area a thousand acres, added to the Antioch College campus through a gift of Hugh T. Birch, of the class of 1869, in memory of his daughter, Mrs. Helen Birch Bartlett, furnishes the background for a book written by the late Dr. William A. Galloway, prominent Xenia physician and historian, published posthumously by members of his family.

The book, entitled "The History of Glen Helen," is an eighty-three-page volume, containing twenty-three illustrations and has just been printed by a Columbus firm. About 300 copies are now available, and the distribution is being made by the late author's sister, Mrs. Alice G. Eavey, and by his son, Lyon Galloway, residing on W. Market St.

Dr. Galloway, who was president of the Greene County Historical Society at the time of his death, declares in the introduction to the book, that sympathy with the purposes of the great educational adventure now carried forward at Antioch actuated his interest in gathering as much of the history of Yellow Springs glen as remains available, into a narrative devoted to interesting events that belong to its past.

"The gift of this tract of land, now called Glen Helen, endows the college with one of the rarest of American areas, and adds to its facilities an out-of-door class room of unsurpassed opportunities for the study of earth sciences," Dr. Galloway wrote.

The opportunities to become familiar with Glen Helen's history came from many sources during the continuous residence of the writer and his family on its border since 1897.

Dr. Galloway, an alumnus of Antioch, lived for a part of his college course, in the south parlor suite of the great Neff House, with Theodore Neff, the last of his family to complete an unbroken period of seventy-seven years ownership of Neff Park. In this way, as he explains, he came to know the glen's "wonderful seasonal beauty, and the ever changing artistry of its landscape."

In undertaking to write an authentic story of the glen's history, Dr. Galloway said that memoranda from the early press of the county were used as they served its historic purposes. Valuable information was gathered from Miss Cosmella Hirt's intimate notes of Antioch College life subsequent to 1868.

The writer also acknowledges other cooperation he received, as follows: Various locations and land transfers were furnished by W. J. Davis, Greene County surveyor, and his assistant, Werter McKay, an expert cartographer, and by B. F. Thomas, former county recorder. Valued secretarial aid was given by Miss Bertha McCarty, Xenia. Clifford Gordon Neff, only surviving son of William Clifford Neff, furnished valuable Neff Park data, and gave his father's "owner's plat," an accurate document, for the book. Photographs of Glen Helen locations, used in the illustrations, were taken by Miss Helen Little, Xenia.

## LUMBERTON

The Ladies Aid will hold a social in the church Thursday night and will present a play entitled, "When the Wedding Bells Are Ringing" and also a supper in the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeWitt spent Sunday in Jamestown.

Mrs. Eldora Nickols spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ellis and family of near Paintersville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fields of Springfield, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fields and family.

Mrs. John Hunt and children, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Donohoo and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hazard of near Kingman, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hlatt and family.

Mrs. George Lieberman spent the week end in Dayton with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fleisher and daughter, Mary Eileen.

Mr. Elbert Wolford of Belmont, spent the past week with his mother, Mrs. Ida Wolford.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wentz and family entertained quite a number of their friends to a wiener roast Saturday night.

## Loses 25 Pounds Gains New Vim

About a year ago, Mrs. John W. Conrad, 32 Edwards Road, Walton, Ky., was told by a friend about French Lick Salts. Using this salts and the French Lick reducing system of food selection and exercise, Mrs. Conrad reduced from 160 to 135 pounds. She writes: "I can wear the new dresses with tight-fitting bodices, do my housework with new vim and vigor. My friends say I look 10 years younger."

French Lick Salts is also a remarkable systemic regulator and gives wonderful benefits. Acts on the liver and gall bladder. Keeps the intestinal tract clean. Promotes normal functioning—"tones up" the whole system—helps you to keep well.

French Lick Salts is a blend of the same health-giving salts found in the renowned spring waters at famous French Lick Springs. In cool water it is sparkling, effervescent—as pleasant-tasting as a fountain beverage. Today, at your drug-

gist's, buy a generous bottle, 50c.

## Riddle of Curtis' Heartless Hoax

Was It Craze for Spotlight; to Recoup Finances; Mental Aberration, or Was the "Confession" Inspired by Gang Vengeance?



MRS. CURTIS AND CHILDREN JOHN H. CURTIS

To the layman who was horror-stricken by the confession of John Hugh Curtis, Norfolk, Va., shipbuilder, that his "negotiations" with the kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby existed only in his own imagination and constituted the most monumental hoax in history, the man's behavior will seem incomprehensible. Only the psychologist can make an attempt to explain why a man of education, social position and apparent integrity of character, should deliberately perpetrate such a cruel hoax upon the world and upon the distracted parents of the missing child. It may have been Curtis' mania for publicity; it is possible that he saw an opportunity to recoup his depleted fortune; or the more charitable view that his mental machinery was thrown so completely out of gear that he experienced the hallucination that he was really in contact with the kidnapers. Psychologists will vouch for stranger mental aberrations than that. On the other hand, the theory that Curtis' kidnap negotiations were on the level and the confession a hoax is also worthy of consideration. A threat of vengeance by the kidnapers against Curtis' own family, coupled with his love for wife and children, might have been sufficient to induce the shipbuilder to cover himself with disgrace as a heartless faker in order to protect his loved ones. So one is inclined to the charitable belief of the man's own excuse for his remarkable behavior: "I became insane on the subject."

TRENTON, N. J., May 25.—To the person not versed in psychology the behavior of John Hughes Curtis, shipbuilder of Norfolk, Va., and "negotiator" in the Lindbergh kidnaping case, will seem well-nigh incomprehensible.

What, asks the layman, could have induced a man of education, social position and apparent integrity of character to perpetrate what was undoubtedly the most heartless hoax in history? Was it that Curtis was afflicted with the mania for publicity to which so many people have fallen victims? Was it, as is supposed in some quarters, an attempt to recoup his depleted fortune? Or, could it be that the man's mental machinery was thrown so completely out of gear by the horrible outrage that he really experienced the hallucination that he was really helping to bring comfort to the distracted parents of the missing child?

Whatever the reasons for his deception, Curtis takes his place among the greatest fakers of history. In fact, it is doubtful if there is a parallel in history that matches his pretended negotiations with the kidnapers, insofar as no hoax had ever received the wide publicity and general acceptance of Curtis' activities as he traveled about by land, sea and air for what he announced were contacts with representatives of the child's abductors.

The fanciful story told by Curtis ranged from the night of March 9, when he said he was approached by a "man named Sam" who claimed to have knowledge of the kidnapers and asked Curtis to aid in arranging negotiations with Col. Lindbergh, to the receipt of word that the murdered body of the baby had been found. The story told of meetings between Curtis and the kidnapers at sea and in restaurants. Meetings which never occurred. It included what purported to be the kidnapers' own story and was backed up by detailed descriptions of boats and automobiles—even telephone numbers of supposed intermediaries.

All this welter of lies was eagerly swallowed by press and police alike and if any doubt was felt as to the authenticity of the negotiations, the suspicion was that Curtis was being imposed upon.

It is easy to see how the shipbuilder was forced to manufacture lie after lie in support of his first statement and many times he must have pondered the truth of the old couplet: "Oh what a tangled web we weave, when first we practice to deceive."

The final bursting of the bubble which Curtis had created by his gigantic, cruel hoax toppled the shipbuilder from the heroic pedestal upon which he had been placed by not only his fellow townspeople of Norfolk but by the entire country. Curtis' signature to the confession that branded his "negotiations" as mere figments of his own imagination writes final to his social and business career as drastically as if he himself were the instigator of the crime which shocked the world.

PIMPLES GO—SKIN CLEARS USING INVISIBLE ZEMO

In a surprisingly short time such skin troubles as Pimples, Rash and Blemishes disappear when soothing, antiseptic ZEMO is used. For twenty years soothing, cooling ZEMO has relieved itching skin and has seldom failed to clear away unsightly and annoying skin irritations. For a clear, smooth, healthy skin depend on clean, antiseptic ZEMO. All druggists 35c, 60c and \$1.00.

## ORPHIUM

TONIGHT AND THURSDAY, MATINEES 2:15  
"LAW AND ORDER"  
With  
Walter Huston, Harry Carey,  
RAYMOND HATTON, RUSSELL HOPTON,  
RALPH INCE, ANDY DEVINE

Six big stars, each giving a characterization you'll never forget! A tremendous story of life and the law in a wild frontier town! You'll enjoy every minute of this smashing outdoor drama.

Also a fine 2-reel comedy and Pathe News

## Bijou

TONIGHT  
CLIVE BROOK — VIVIANNE OSBORNE  
CHARLIE RUGGLES, JULIETTE COMPTON  
HARRY BANNISTER — DICKIE MOORE  
in  
'HUSBAND'S HOLIDAY'  
Also Movietone News and Cartoon Song  
THURSDAY (ONLY)  
Women will adore this picture. And if they're a friend of friend-husband, they'll bring him along to share its grand entertainment.  
"CARELESS LADY"  
with  
Joan Bennett - John Boles  
Romance—Gowns—Songs  
Also Paramount News and Comedy

received threats that if he persisted in aiding the investigation to bring the kidnap-murders to justice his own family would be made the victims of gang vengeance. But the most charitable view that can be taken of the whole affair is acceptance of Curtis' own statement: "I became insane on the subject."

## LEFT SECOND TIME, HUSBAND CHARGES; OTHER COURT NEWS

Everett Kiger, paper mill employee, didn't mind so much when his wife, Blanche, deserted him six months after their marriage, asserted without provocation, taking all the money he had and remaining away for three months.

Subsequently he forgave her and took her back. But it was carrying things too far, he intimated, when she again left him last April 20, this time taking with her dishes, linens, a lamp, an urn set, his diamond ring worth \$150, and leaving for him to pay a bill for \$3.45 due on a wrist watch she had charged without his knowledge.

Making these charges, Kiger filed suit in Common Pleas Court for a divorce, requesting that such personal property his wife, in leaving him a second time, failed to take with her, be awarded to him and that she be barred of interest. The couple was married in Dayton November 2, 1929. They have no children.

SUES ON NOTE  
Non-payment of \$200 on a promissory note is alleged in a suit asking judgment for this sum, filed in Common Pleas Court by J. S. Compton against Warner Morris. F. L. Johnson is the plaintiff's attorney.

## NO SANTA CLAUS

CANTON, O., May 25.—H. R. Patterson thought for a while that it was Christmas when he entered his garage and found a new large sedan parked there. Police, however, cleared the delusion by claiming it as a stolen car.

FAILED TO COLLECT CHANGE  
ST. LOUIS.—For three months Thomas Hewlett, a telegrapher, has been trying to collect from the street railway company—without success—change from a \$5 bill he says a conductor failed to give his wife. The conductor claims it was a \$1 bill.

## Osborn - Fairfield

Mrs. Elsie Barran—Correspondent Phone No. 192

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harner and Mr. and Mrs. Duff Stewart left for a week's vacation and fishing trip at the lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rue were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Brown, of New Madison, O.

Mrs. William Schneider and Mrs. Bruce Leveck were out of town Tuesday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Whittride were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Heinie Hart, Springfield, Sunday.

Miss Parker, Miss Buck, Miss Barer and Miss Naragon were in Dayton, Monday.

Mr. C. Penlin of F. A. I. D., was in Dayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coy of Alpha, and Mrs. Joseph Kelter, were the guests of Mrs. Roscoe Rockfield, Main St., Fairfield, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Case B. Jones spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Jones' father, Mr. William Peiffer.

Mr. Joe Kundert of Central Ave. is out of town on business for several days.

Mrs. Glenn Johnson chaperoned a group of youngsters to Crystal Lakes on a swimming party Saturday.

Glenn Roy Johnson was host to the group. They were Alfred Barran, Joe Billy Searcy, Miss Mary Helen Johnson, Miss Virgie Johnson, Miss Jean Stein, Miss Jean Smith and Miss Mary Van Tile and Glenn Roy Johnson and Mrs. Glenn Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaney of Medway were in Osborn shopping Saturday evening.

Clifford Barran, Ruth Barringer, Betty Barringer, Dorella Barringer and Jack Barringer hiked to Reeds Hill Tuesday afternoon.

Boy Scouts will meet tonight at the American Legion Hall on Main St., Fairfield, for regular meeting. Mr. Glenn Johnson, scoutmaster, will be in charge.

Mrs. William Phillips of Dayton Drive spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Deis of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. William McMackin of Fairfield and children were the guests Sunday evening of Mrs. Francis E. Houck of Dayton.

Mrs. Roscoe Rockfield had as her Sunday guests, Mrs. Cleo Darst of Columbus and Miss Florence Darst, of Springfield.

The Willing Workers of the Lutheran Church will picnic at the National Military Home, Dayton, June 3. There will be a pot luck dinner and all day meeting. Any one wishing to go will call Mrs. Ira Kneisley, president, Central Ave., for information.

Mrs. Harry Smith of Central Ave., was in Dayton Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Rue and Mrs. Otho Fent, spent Sunday in Cincinnati, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Noggle.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rust and Miss Minnie Hawn of F. A. I. D., were week end guests of friends at Russels Point.

ARMY CUTS STANDARD  
LONDON, May 25.—The height standard for recruits to the British infantry units has been reduced five feet, three inches. Only 1 fall it was raised to five feet 1 inches.

RHUBARB POISONING  
WARREN, O., May 25.—Two women died here recently from an illness, diagnosed as "rhubarb poisoning." The poison was caused from eating rhubarb tops.

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